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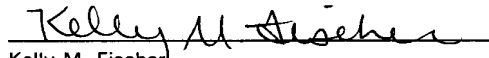
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In accordance with the duty of disclosure imposed by 37 C.F.R. §1.56 to inform the Patent Office of all references known by Applicant or Applicant's representative that may be material to the examination of the subject application, Applicant's representative hereby provides this information that is prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

Applicant makes known to the Examiner US Patent No. 6,228,604 B1, which issued on May 8, 2001. This patent claims priority to 08/695,191 and 08/682,080, now U.S. Patent Nos. 6,025,155 and 6,077,697 respectively, and 08/629,822, which the above identified application relies upon. US Patent No. 6,228,604 B1 designates Loma Linda University as the assignee. This assignee

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is not the same as the designated assignees for the above identified application, which are Biological Research Center of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences and Chromos Molecular Systems, Inc.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner review the foregoing information and that they be made of record in the file history of the above-captioned application.

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